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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(F) OR (G), PETITION FOR NEW OFFICE ACTION AND WITHDRAWAL OF HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT UNDER MPEP SECTION 7.11.03(c) II. and RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir:

Applicants have received a Notice of Abandonment dated December 10, 2003 for the above-identified application. The undersigned, on behalf of Applicant, requests that the holding of abandonment of the above-identified application be withdrawn.

The undersigned hereby attests to the fact that the two month formal matter of December 21, 2001 was not received by the undersigned or his/her office and a search of the file jacket of the above application and the docket records of the undersigned attorney indicates that the two month formal matter was not received. A copy of the docket record where the non-received two month formal matter would have been entered had it been received and docketed is attached hereto. Also, attached please find the Petition Fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m) in the amount

- of \$130.00. It is not believed that any extension of time fees are required, since the Notice to
- File Missing Parts was not timely received by our office as set forth below. Nevertheless, if the USPTO determines that such fees or any other fees are required with this paper, the USPTO is

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directed and authorized to charge all required fees, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Additionally, our office contacted the Petitions Branch and spoke with a Mr. Marvin Fletcher, who then faxed a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers to our Office.UIn response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Applicant submits herewith substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.84. Consideration of the attached is respectfully requested.

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CONFIRMATION NO. 1400 ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION **LETTER**

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Date Mailed: 12/10/2003

NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 12/21/2001.

No reply was received.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(I); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNINTENTIONAL **DELAY** must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to the "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282. Petitions should be mailed to: Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

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